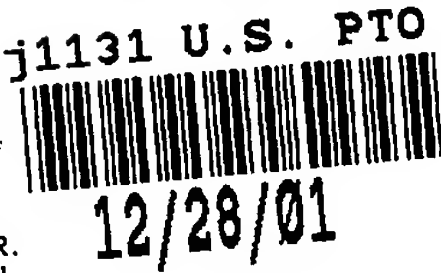


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Enclosed are:

- ☒ A specification consisting of fifteen (15) pages
- ☒ Four (4) sheet(s) formal drawings
- ☒ An assignment of the invention
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
- ☐ Applicant does not claim priority
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